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FOR AMBASSADOR DEVINE; PANAMA FOR RSS FROM ST. MARS

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SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL SY OFFICER POSITIONS, SAN SALVADOR

1. AMBASSADOR MAY RECALL THAT DURING HIS LAST VISIT TO THE DEPARTMENT, SY EXPRESSED INTEREST IN ESTABLISHING ADDITIONAL SECURITY OFFICER POSITIONS IN SAN SALVADOR VICE PRESENT TDY ARRANGEMENT IN STAFFING COM PROTECTIVE DETAIL.

2. GIVEN UNABATED THREAT CONDITIONS IN EL SALVADOR AND COUNTRY'S UNCERTAIN POLITICAL FUTURE, WE BELIEVE IT A PRO-LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PITIOUS TIME TO SEEK YOUR FORMAL APPROVAL TO PERMANENTLY AUGMENT SECURITY STAFFING BY THREE POSITIONS. SUCH ACTION WILL REGULARIZE AND INSURE CONTINUITY OF VITAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES, REDUCE COSTS, ELIMINATE COSTLY AGENT TIME LOSSES OCCASIONED BY RATHER RAPID TURNOVER OF PERSONNEL AND INSURE MAXIMUM FAMILIARITY OF ASSIGNED PROTECTIVE PERSONNEL WITH LOCAL ENVIRONMENT PERSONALITIES AND THREAT CONDITIONS. WE

WOULD ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY OFFICERS WITH TESTED PROFICIENCY
IN SPANISH TO FACILITATE THEIR COMMUNICATION WITH GOES
POLICE/SECURITY SERVICES.

3. OFFICERS SELECTED WOULD BE SCHEDULED FOR ONE (1) YEAR
ASSIGNMENTS; HOWEVER, EXTENSIONS COULD BE CONSIDERED.

4. IF THIS PROPOSAL MEETS WITH YOUR APPROVAL, YOU MAY
WISH TO ADDRESS QUESTIONS OF AVAILABILITY OF HOUSING -
FOR BOTH SINGLE AND ACCOMPANIED ASSIGNEES - AND PREFERRED
TIMING IN YOUR RESPONSE.
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